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Charles Johnson is a Program Manager for the Leadership and Mission Support Academy for the CIGIE Training Institute. He is detailed to the CIGIE Institute from the Special Inspector General for Iraq Reconstruction (SIGIR).

Johnson is former Marine who, among other things, served as a Professional Military Education specialist for four-years at Marine Corps University in Quantico VA during the initial startup years. His PhD from Northwestern University in Chicago is in Education Policy Analysis and Administration, and his research includes empirical studies of factors and policies that impact professional development and professional identity. After his active duty, Johnson served as a civilian research consultant on two Congressional Commissions. The first assessed military training programs across services, along with associated policies and regulations. The second was the National Security Study Group for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century/Hart-Rudman Commission. Johnson's research area there was to find government civilian and military recruiting, retention, and training systems/policies needed for 2020.

Johnson is the former Dean of Instruction at Department of Defense OIG. In that capacity, his office in 2003 initiated the first DODIG Georgetown leadership Program. That program still leads many OIG professionals of different Federal IG offices to a Master's Degree in Leadership from Georgetown University. It was also his office that assisted in developing the 2004 concept that the Inspector General for Defense submitted to the PCIE/ECIE. The proposal called for establishment of a PCIE Training and Development Institute to serve the Federal OIGs.

In March of 2004, Johnson was deployed to Iraq to serve continuously with the Special IG for Iraq Reconstruction (SIGIR) and the DODIG. He returned from Iraq to DODIG headquarters in July of 2007. In 2008, Johnson was detailed to the Special IG for Afghanistan Reconstruction to assist in the standup of this newly created IG office. Johnson became the Deputy IG for Afghanistan Operations and served in Afghanistan from 2008 to 2010.

| Johnson is married to the former Janice Kay Arndt; (Dan, Julie, and Brian) and three grandchildren. Jo Wisconsin, where he and his wife Janice grew up, a | hnson's hom | e of record rea |  |
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